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•	SILIPPING.	INTIMATIONS.	BANKS.	AUCTIONS.	TO BE LET.	NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.	
-1	ARRIVALS. April 16, Fooksang, British str., 990, Hogg.		HONGKONG & SHANGHALBANKING CORPORATION.	PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions	Goods received on STORAGE at Mederate	NETHERLANDS-INDIA STEAM NAVI- GATION COMPANY, LIMITED.	IN
•	Shanghai 12th April, General JARDINE. MATHESON & Co.	New Photograph and Scrap Albums.	PAID-UP CAPITAL	to Sell by Public Antion, TO-MORROW,	Rates, in First-class Godowns. Also	FROM BATAVIA, SINGAPORE, AND SAIGON.	In Ti
	April 16, Deucation, British steamer, 1,374, Purdy, Liverpool 3rd March, and Singe-	New Card Cases for Ladies and Gentlemen. New Pocket Books, Letter Cases, Purses. New Ladies Plain and Fitted Bags.	RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION OF \ 400,000.	the 18th April, 1885, at Noon, at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, A.N. INVOIOE,	Entire GODOWNS to be LET Apply to MEYER & Co.	THE Steamship	In T
	pore 10th April, General.—BUTTERVIELD.	Work Boxes, Tourist Cases, Writing Blocks. Lord Malmesbury's Memoirs—Cheap Ed.	RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO- 3 7,500,000.	Comprising: — FIRE PROOF SAFES with Chubb's	Hongkong, 3rd March; 1881. [1032] TO BE LET.	"CELEBES." having arrived from the above ports Consigness	
	April 16, Benvenue, British steamer, 1497, A.	Proctor's How to play Whist. THE MOST POPULAR BOOKS OF THE DAY:— Called Back—Dark Days—John Bull and his	T. D. Bigger	LOCKS, IRON CHESTS, DEED and CASH BOXES, IRON BOUND TRAVELLERS	ATO. 1, ALBANY, 6 ROOMS AND GAR-	of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for	thin dot
/4 -	LIVINGSTON & Co.	Island, John Bull's Womankind-John Bull's	Deputy Chairman—A. MCIVER, Esq. H. L. Dalrympie, Esq. E. E. Sassoon, Esq.	TRUNKS, CARPENTERS TOOLS, IRON. TACKS, KNIVES, BAZORS, SCALES:	No. 8, Mosque Terrace.	countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.	from the
	Henne, Yokohama 1st April, Ballast	ALL CHEAP EDITIONS. Mayrav's Guide to Japan by Satow and	H. Hoppius, Esq. M. Grote, Esq. C. D. Bottomley, Esq. Hon, W. Keswick A. P. McEwen, Esq.	WIRE NAILS, BOTTLING WIRE, &c., &c., &c. Trems of Sale.—As Customery,		Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees risk and expense	be trans Dated
•	Wieler & Co. April 16, Melita, German steamer, 239, H.	Haves with Maps and Plans. New Ed., \$6.00. Ferguson's Manual of International Law,	CHIEF MANAGER. Hongkong-Thomas Jackson, Esq.	J. M. ABMSTRONG, Auctioneer.	5 ACRES GARDEN & BUNGALOW, at CAROLINE HILL, East.	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.	760]
	& Co.	2 Vols., Paper cover \$7.50, Cloth \$8.50, Law Calf, \$11.00 or bound as required. Practical and Inductive Book-keeping by	MANAGER. Shanghai—Ewen Cameron, Esq.	Hongkong, 16th April, 1885. [753	LINSTEAD & DAVIS. Hongkong, 6th April, 1885. [693]	Hongkong, 17th April, 1885 [761	OCI
-	April 16, CELERES, Dutch steamer, 1,423, Grebe de Haan, Saigon 12th April, General.—	J. L. Hart-Milner, \$5.00. System for a Portuguese to learn English	LONDON BANKES—LONDON & COUNTY BANK. HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.	PUBLIC AUGTION. PUBLIC AUGTION. PUBLIC AUGTION.	TO LET.	TOCONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO EXO. S.S. CO.'S S.S. "DEUCALION." FROM LIVERPOOL.	(Taking
. •	April 16, Anowa, British steamer, 1,111,	thoroughly in 6 months by J. L. Hart-Milner, \$3.00.	On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent, per Annum on the daily balance.	MONDAY,	HOUR COMMODIOUS GODOWNS Nos. 64, 65, 924 and 934, Bowrington, Wanchai.	HIPPING Orders must be obtained from the	HAN
	F. Caborne, R.N.R., Bombay 26th March, Colombo 31st, and Singapore 9th April,	We are now booking Cidors for the REVISED	Of Fixed Deposits:—. For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum.	the 20th April, 1885, at 2 f.m., at No. 33, Wyndham Smeet, SUNDRY HOUSEHOLD	Apply to D. NOWROJEE.	Or shipment per steamer "CYCLOPS." BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.	Captain
	General.—P. & O. S. N. Co. April 16, Tamega, Portuguese gunboat, from	VERSION OF THE HOLY BIBLE, to be published in England this month. We shall receive Supplies the first mail after publication, and	For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.	FURNITERE, &c.	Hongkong, 30th December, 1884. [39]	Hongkong, 16th April, 1885. [741	TO MO
	Macao. April 16, Hindostan, British ship, 1,547, W	orders will be executed according to priority of receipt.		BLACKWOOD MARBLE TOP CENTRE TABLE, ENGLISH-MADEMAHOGANY MOR-ROCCO COVERED DINING ROOM SUIT,	A LARGE OFFICE on the Figur Floor	OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.	BU Hong
•	B. Minchin, Hamburg 14th November, Ge-		DRAFTS granted on London, and the chief	CRETONNE COVERED BED, ROOM SUIT, PICTURES, SIDEBOARD, WHAT-	of the Premises occupied by KELLY & WALSH. Hougkong, 3rd April, 1885. [678]	CONSIGNEES per Company's "Steamer "DEUCALION." are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis-	
	- CLEARANCES.	TANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,	America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.	NOT, DINNER and DESSERT SETS, CHIMNEY GLASSES, GASALTERS and	HONGKONG HOTEL.	charged into Craft, and/or landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it	-
مراويها والمالية	AT THE HABBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.	HOSIERS AND GENTLEMEN'S OUT- FITTERS, have received their New STOCK of SUMMER GOODS:—	Hongkong, 28th February 1885. [6]	GAS BRACKETS, DOUBLE BED- STEADS BUREAU with GLASS, ENGLISH-	TO LET.	will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on	Captain above, P
	Crusader, British str., for Whampon.	UNDERSHIRTS & PANTS in Lisle-Thread, Silk, Silk-Not, Balbriggan, Merino Gauze,	NOTICE.	MADE MAHOGANY WARDROBE with PLATE GLASS DOOR, CARD TABLE and WASHSTANDS.	THE Undermentioned TWO VALUABLE SHOPS on the HOTEL Premises.	and after the 17th instant. Goods undelivered after the 23rd instant,	TOU.
- : -	Kong Beng, British str., for Swatow. Deucation, British str., for Amoy.	India Ganze, Cheap Imitation. Gauze, and other Cool Materials.	RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.	&c., &c., &c." CATALOGUES will be issued.	The Shop at present occupied by Misses GATE & FAIRALL,	will be subject to Bent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 16th April, 1885. [741]	Houg
-	Elsa, German str., for Haiphong.	HALF-HOSE in Lisle-Thread, Silk. Cotton, Summer-Merino, and Cashmere.	1.—The business of the above Bank will be	Terms of Sale.—As Customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG,	The Shop next door to Messrs. Kelly and Walsh and now in course of Erection.	NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.	INDO-
:	Energia, British str., for Yokohama. Melita, German str., for Chefoo.	Shirts ready made or to measure in Long Cloth, French Print, and Zephyr Cloth. HANDKERCHIEFS in French and Irish Cam-	conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10	Hongkong, 16th April, 1885. [752]	TENDERS for the LEASE of the above will be received by the Undersigned, from whom full	FROM GLASGOW, LONDON, PENANG,	FTHE
	Ulysses, British str., for Singapore. Wingsang, British str., for Singapore.	brics—Special: New Printed Coloured Centres.	to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.	<u>• </u>	Particulars can be obtained, until 1st Proximo. By Order LOUIS HAUSCHILD,	AND SINGAPORE. HE Steamship	1
	Japan, British etr., for Singapore.	Figure and she nerre' parters' and Arthor	hai Banking Corporation will form a direct Security for the repayment of sums deposited in	tions to Sell by Public Auction, on WEDNESDAY NEXT,	Secretary of the Hongkong Hotel Co., Limited.	"GLENOGLE," having arrived from the above Ports Consignees	Captain on SUI
	DEPARTURES. April 16, VESPASIAN, British str., for Saigon.	Bathing Drawers and Dresses.	the above Bank. 3.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor	the 22nd day of April, 1885, at 3 P.M., At the Premises,	Hongkong, 11th April, 1885. [733]	of Cargo by her are hereby informed that, their Goods, with the exception of Opium.	· .
	April 16, Vortigern, British str., for Saigon- April 16, Strathleven, British steamer, for	New Tennis Jorseys. Tennis Hats and Scarves.	may deposit more than \$1,500 in any one year. 4.—Deposits may be made on behalf of rela-	BY ORDER OF THE MOSTGAGEE, ALL that Piece or Parcel of GROUND	TACOMS SHIPARLE FOR OFFICES	are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned whence and/or from the	Hong
	Shanghai. April 16, Wagnien, German sch., for Amoy.	NEW WOVEN CHOLERA BELTS for Gentle-	tions, of Trusts, &c., in addition to the De- positor's own account. 5.—Persons desirous of saving sums less than	Registered in the Land Office as Subsection 5 of Section A of INLAND LOT No. 218, measuring on the North on Hollywood	PENSARY, Peddars Street.	Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 3 P.M.	THE
	April 16. Volta, French cruiser, for Haiphong: April 16, KERGUELEN, French corv., for Hai-	and Summer Textures:Linen Washing Bearts,	a dellar may do so by affixing clean ten-cent stamps to a form to be obtained at the Bank, or	Road, 15 feet; on the South on other Portion of the said LOT, 15 feet; on the		TO-DAY, the 13th instant. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 20th	1 5
	phong April 16, Glenogle, British str., for Shanghai.	Printed Washing Ties, Silk Washing Windsors, and a variety of New Shapes in made up Cravats.	at the Post Office. When the form is presented with the clean stamps the depositor will be	East on other Portion of the said Lot. 50 feet; on the West on other Portion of the said Lot, 50 feet. Together with the	TO LET.	instant, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by	Captair
· ·	April 16, Amigo, German str., for Takao. April 16, Energia, British str., for Yokohama.	STRAW HATS, FELT HATS, PITH HATS. SUMMER GLOVES in Coloured Silly and White Thread.	credited one dollar. 6.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option	HOUSE No. 62, Hollywood Road, thereon. The Premises are held for the residue of a	YO. 4, WEST TERRACE. Entry from	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.	the abo
	April 16, Kong Beng, British str., for Bangkok. April 16, Ulysses, British str., for London.	English and French Summer Boots and Shoos. Specialities "Glase Molière Kid,"	fransfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang- hai Banking Corporation on fixed-deposit for	Term of 939 years at the apportioned Crown Rent of \$3, per annum.	Apply to G. C. ANDERSON,	UNION LINE.	For 1
•	April 16, Wingsang, British str., for Calcutta. April 16, Japan, British str., for Calcutta.	White Canvas Shoes at \$2.50 per pair.	12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.	For Further Particulars and Conditions of	Hongkoug, 20th. February, 1885.	NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.	Hon
	April 16, Fooksang, British str., for Whampos.	Hongkong, 16th April, 1884, [26] THE PACIFIC MUTUAL LIFE IN-	Ports by means of clean Hongkong Postage Stamps of any values. 8.—Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent per	Solicitor for the Mortgagee,		FROM ANTWERP AND SINGAPORE.	
	PASSENGERS.	SURANCE COMPANY OF CALI- FORNIA.	annum will be allowed to Depositors on their daily balances.	or to	QUEEN'S ROAD, lately occupied by		STE
·	Per Deucation, str., from Liverpool, &c.—Miss- Weatherstone, and 150 Chinese, from Singapore.—	YOLO AND BENICIA MILLS; FLOUR	9.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with	J. M. GUEDES, Auctioneer. Hongkong, 15th April, 1885. [747]	Apply to	Capt. Torbook, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested	1
	Per Fooksang, str., from Shanghai — Mr. and Mrs. Schults and cervant, 3 Europeans, and 76	1 War T COLEMAN & Co.	not make any entries themselves in their Pass- Books, but should send them to be written up		Who will exhibit Plans and arrange Offices to suit applicants. Hongkong, 9th April, 1885.	diste delivery of their Goods from alongside.	proviou
	Per Benvenue, str., from Saigon 5 Chinese.	MONTAGUE & Co. A. HINZ,	at least twice a year, about the beginning of	INSURANCES.	TO LET.	Cargo impeding the discharge of the steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignous	
/	Por Willy, barque, from Yokohama—Mr. E. Steilker. Per Celebes, str., from Saigon.—80 Chinese.	No. 4, D'Aguilar Street, Hengkoug 9th March 1885, [520]	10.—Covers containing Pass-Books, Registered Eetters containing Stamps or other Remittances, and generally, correspondence as to the	FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 1877. IN HAMBURG.	COLLEGE CHAMBERS (late Hotel DE L'UNIVERS) Single Rooms or Suites of	risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on to Japan	CITITA
	Per Adows, str., from Bombay, &c135 Chinese.	THE CONTRACT TO STATE OF THE AND	business of the Bank will, if marked On Hong- kong Savings Bank Business, be forwarded	THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, are Prepared to ACCEPT	Apartments. No. 5, Pendar's Hill.	nnless notice to the contrary be given before NOON, TO-MORROW, the 14th inst.	6
	Per Hindostan, ship, from Hamburg Mrs. Carl Mett.	MINING COMPANY, NORTH CHINA.	free of Postage or Registration Fees by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and	RISKS at Current Rates.	Nos. 4 & 18, Hollywood Road. No. 44, Graham Street. No. 25B, Praya Central.	All Claims against the steamer must be pre- sented to the Undersigned on or before the	·
	DEPARTED.	TARENO	China.	Honokono 18th January, 1884. [195	Annly to	22nd inst, or they will not be recognised.	will lea

Per Tannadice, str., for Australia.--Mr. and Mrs. Fung Sang, 12 Europeans and 58 Chinese, steerage.

REPORTS. The Dutch steamer Celebes reports left Saigon on the 12th April, and had calm wind and sea

during the voyage.

The British steamer Fooksang reports left. Shanghai on the 12th April, and had fresh N.E. winds and foggy weather and rain throughout. The British steamer Benvenue reports left Saigon on the 12th April, and had fine weather from Cape St. James as far as the Paracella strong Easterly breeze from there up.

The British steamer Deucalion reports left Liverpool_on the 3rd March, and Singapore on the 10th April, and experienced fine weather FINE CHINA & JAPAN TELEPHONE within the last 24 hours and fresh N.E. monsoon and cloudy weather to port.

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	VESSELS EXPECTED	AT HONGKON	io.	
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THE LONDON ASSURANCE INCORPORATED BY BOYAL CHARTER OF HIS MAJESTY KING-GEORGE THE FIRST. A.D. 1720.

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Secretary. HEAD OFFICE. No. 2, Queen's Road West, Hongkong, 14th March, 1881.

R. E. A. BAVEN having retired to Europe, the Business hitherto existing under his name will henceforth be carried on by the Undersigned for his own account under the Style and Firm of H. EBELL.

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matter, the Official Liquidator has been autho-

the Notes in the hands of the Attorneys of the

Official Liquidator in Hongkong before the

All Deposit Receipts, Bills of Exchange, Powers of Attorney, Certificates received in

exchange for Notes, and other Securities, must

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London prior to the 20th November, 1884.

26th day of September, 1884.

IN THE MATTER OF THE

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ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION,

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ING CORPORATION,

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Chiof Manager.

£2,000,000,

ness of the Savings Bank are exempt from

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Stamp Duty...

11.-Withdrawals may be made on demand. Hongkong, 18th January, 1884. WILSON is appointed Sole Agent but the personal attendance of the Depositor or at Tientsin for the Sale and Shipment of his duly appointed Agent, and the production of KAIPING COALS. GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE

ASSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned - having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES against

FIRE AND LIFE at Current Rates. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, 1st April, 1885. [7] THE STRAITS INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED.

FIHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World, at current

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. {2077 Hongkong, 5th November, 1883. CACEDONIAN FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

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LIFE ASSURANCE ONLY. their Claims to the Official Liquidator in holders and apportionments are made annually. STATEMENT FOR YEAR ENDING 31st December, 1883.

Daily Press Newspaper on the 13th, 16th, and Accumulated Funds £11,379,944. 20th August, 1884, and in the Hengkong Surplus over all liabilities Government Gazette on the 16th, 23rd and 30th and Reserve Fundaceords. ing to valuation made by the Government, Dividend will be payable at the Office of the Income for year 1883...... C. SETON LINDSAY.

Res. Managor. Department of the East. BIRLEY, DALBYMPLE & Co., having regard only to the Claims of which notice shall have been received, and which have been 160 Agents, Hongkong.

> INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Com- on First-class Risks. pany, are authorized to INSURE against FIRE at Current Rates GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, 1st January 1882

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OOMS in CLUB CHAMBLES. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, Tat February, 1882.

TO LET. TATHE DWELLING HOUSE No. 38 L CAINE ROAD. Possession from

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, 24th December, 1884. INSURANCES.

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156 & 158, BROADWAY. VIIIE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are pre-947 pared to take applications for LIFE INSUR-

ANCE at reduced rates. PUSTAU & Co.,

General Agents. Hongkong, 1st August 1884. NOTICE.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE therein at 1 /. Net per Annum. The Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS on FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS at 1 per Cent. Nett premium per Annum. NORTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 20th May, 1881.

> /TRANSATLANTICFIREINSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG. The Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the avove Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current

SIEMSSEN & Co. ACCRUS. Hongkong, 16th November, 1872. NOTICE.

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> Hongkong, 27th March, 1882. NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY AT HAMBURG. THE Undersigned, Agents for the above TEW YEAR PRESENTS.

Secretary.

Company, are prepared to GRANT INclass risks at ourrent rates. MELCHERS & Co. Hongkong, 27th March, 1876.

CUNFIRE OFFICE. 25 The Undersigned are prepared from this date to GRANT FOLICIES sgainst FIRE at the Reduced Tariff Rates to the extent of \$50,000 LINSTEAD & DAVIS. Agents. Bun Fire Office.

22nd inst, or they will not be recognised. RUSSELL & Co., Hongkong, 13th April, 1885.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship "POLYHYMNIA," Capt. Böhme, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed

that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon, TO MORROW, the 12th instant.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 17th. nstant, will be subject to rent. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 11th April, 1885.

TOCONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO EX O. S.S. CO.'S S.S. "ANCHISES." FROM LIVERPOOL.

CHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the Undersigned not later than the 17th inst., for shipment per steamer "DEUCALION." BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 11th April, 1885.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consignees risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the

12th April, 1885. Goods undelivered after the 18th April 1885, will be subject to Rent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 11th April, 1885.

INTIMATIONS.

NORTH CHINA INSURANCE COM-PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the SHANGHAI CLUB, on TUESDAY, the 5th May, 1885, at THREE P.M., when the following Special Resolution will be proposed. That Clause 44 of the Articles of Association be altered by striking out the date

1885, and by substituting therefor the -date 1886." By Order of the Court-of Directors, - J. KENNARD DAVIS, Secretary. Shanghai, 2nd April, 1835.

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Hongkong, 18th January, 1884.

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-PROBATE JURISDICTION. THE GOODS OF DUNNAN, Deceased, THE GOODS OF GEORGE KIRBY Deceased.

AKE NOTICE that if no Person shall appear within Twelve Months from date to Claim any Eunds that may remain the Estates of the above named DUN-N and GEORGE KIRBY such Funds will ausferred to the REVENUE of this Colony. ated this 16th day of April, 1885. ALFRED G. WISE, Official Administrator.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAL VIA AMOY. ting Cargo and Passengers at through rates NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEWCHWANG, TIENTSIN LANKOW, and PORTS on the YANGTSKE.)

HE Company's Steamship "DEUCALION" ain Purdy, will be despatched as above MORROW, the 18th inst., at TEN A.M. or Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. ongkong, 16th April, 1885.

FOR SHANGHAL HE Steamship

"NINGPO." ain W. Potts, will be despatched for the ve Port TO-MORROW, the 18th or Freight or Passage, apply to

SIEMSSEN & Co. lougkong, 16th April, 1885. DO-CHÍNA STEAM NAVIGATION. COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR TIENTSIN. HE "Company's Chartered Steamship

nin Leitch, will be despatched as above UNDAY, the 19th instant, at DAYLIGH or Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managors. longkong, 17th April, 1885.

FOR SWATOW AND BANGKOK. E SCOTTISH OBJENTAL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. HE Company's Steamer

"PHRA CHULA CHOM KLAO," ptain H: Lightwood, will be despatched for above Ports on MONDAY, the 20th inst.,

or Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG,

Iongkong, 17th April, 1885. OSTPONEMENT OF DEPARTURE. TEAM TO BOMBAY- VIA STRAITS HEP. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"SUMATRA, leave for the above place on MONDAY, 20th instant, at THREE P.M., instead of as viously advertised.

A. McIVEE, Superintendent. Hongkong, 17th April, 1885. EAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA NAGA-

SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INDAND SEX.) HE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship "THIBET,"

will leave for the above place on SUNDAY, the 26th instant, at TEN A.M. A. McIVER, Superintendent. Hongkong, 17th April, 1885.

STEAM TO SHANGHAL THIHE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship "ROSETTA." will leave for the above place about 36 hours

after her arrival with the outward English Mail. A. McIVER. Superintendent. Hongkong, 17th April 1885.

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THE Undersigned begs to give notice that the Office of the ICE DEPOT was REMOVED to the Residence of Mr. S. F. FUTTARIA, Honam, Canton, from the 9th inst. P. C. PATELL. Canton, 15th April, 1885.

 WANTED. SITUATION by an active, intelligent Apply, by letter, to

A Young Man (English). Outports pre-Office of this Paper. Hongkong, 6th March, 1885.

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Hongkong, January. 1867.

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NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS

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All letters for publication should be written, on one the Secretary of State, with a request for inice of the paper only. structions, and in reply a despatch was re-Advertisements and Subscriptions which are no ceived stating what legislation Lord DERBY ordered for a fixed period will be continued until would be prepared to approve of. There was countermanded.

Orders for extra copies of the Daily Press should be sent before 11 s.m. on the day of publication. passed; his Lordship merely indicated that After that hour the supply is limited.

Hongkons, April 17th 1385.

THE reply of His Excellency the GOVERNOR to the question of the Hon. P. RIEIE at stood were to be complete), but from the Wednesday's meeting of the Legislative brief description of it given incidentally by Council in reference to the resolution adopted | the Secretary of State it would, we think, have by the Council on the 1st inst. was precisely formed a better model than the one selected. appeals made on his behalf by numerous Demowhat we expected. Sir George Bow Et has lost The Secretary of State says the Ordinance to cratic leaders—is Mr. Watson Boyle, clerk to no time in forwarding the resolution, and he be passed in Hongkong should incorporate a has urged the immediate consideration of the person holding some office in the Church of matter, but the Imperial Government will Rome, "or a body of trustees to be appointed certainly take more than a fortnight to re- from time to time, in some manner to beturn an answer. Apart altogether from the prescribed by the Ordinance, as in the case fact that their time, is now fully occupied of the Church of England in Trinidad under by numerous questions of the utmost mo- the Ordinance No. 8 of 1873." This was a fall from a verandah. The inquiries were ment, subjects such as the establishment of substantially the course we recommended a direct line of telegraph between here and when discussing the Bill some days ago, torpedo boats would at any time involved course been followed the object simed at, so to the War Office and Admiralty, and, sup- nesday's meeting of the Council. -In the City Hall. posing that they approved of them, the as- course of the debate the opponents of the Bill time before any reply is received even by feeling which followed that measure. telegraph. Nor are we very sanguine as to cannot, however, see any analogy Government will be reluctant to make a Titles Bill was passed to make it Kowloon docks to-day. grant for the telegraph line, although it penal for Roman Catholic ecclesiastics day for us to have much faith in their readigiving legal validity to that title. The Ecleaving on a Friday, after which Thursday is

shortly afterwards on board the Waverley. The Report for 1884, together with the tables showleaving on a Friday, after which Thursday is

shortly afterwards on board the Waverley. The Report for 1884, together with the tables showleaving on a Friday, after which Thursday is tween Singapore and the Far East. Pos- liament thereby permitting the assumption next. sibly, however, they may be so impressed of territorial titles to be used by courtesy, Mr. Hosie, in the report of his journey through this time he was disappointed." with the importance of the question as to but it never went so far as to give legal re- Szechuen in June and July last, says:—"The give their sanction to the proposal. Nous cognition to the titles so assumed, and we to an excessive rainfall, and only half the usual veryona! If we have but slender hope of get- | venture to think that if Cardinal Manning quantity of sugar was realized. The result is ting the cable, we certainly have even less of the were to-morrow the promoter of a Bill in torpedo boats asked for. The fact that only the House of Commons similar to Bishop respectively per picul of 105 catties. In fact, ten new torpedo boats have been contracted Rarmonn's Bill in Hongkong he would be refined white sugar from the southern provinces for, after all the agitation of the past eight referred to in the measure simply as HENRY months, instead of about sixty, augurs badly Edward Manning; if the courtesy title of Western China." for the response to the Hongkong demand for a his office was mentioned at all it would be flotilla. The Admiralty will say the hoats can- with the prefix "commonly called" Archnot be spared, that there are numerous ports | bishop of Westminster, as is done in the case quite undefended, and that Hongkong already of the courtesy titles of sons of peers, who are possesses four torpedo boats for harbour del invariably referred to in legal documents by reason assigned for Mr. Plunkett's refusal to go fence. It will be well therefore not to count their names with the addition of " commonupon compliance with the request sent home ly called " so and so. It would be an act of by Sir George Bowen. His Excellency has discourtery in ordinary intercourse to refuse Charge d'Affaires in the absence of Sir Thos. considerable influence at home among the to accord to Bishop Raimonni the title given different departments, but we take leave to him by his own church, but there would cerdoubt whether any official could secure for tainly be no discourtesy in declining to give the colony either the cable or the torpedo legal validity to that title. In the opposiboats at the present moment. We do hope, tion to this Bill there has, we are sure, been French reached us. According to these reports however, that the Governor may secure aut no wish to be discourtsons to Bishop RAIthorisation to get some torpedo boats built monni, though we regret to notice from a here, though that is also very questionable, paragraph in the Catholic Register that His in the Pescadores. On the following day some as the Admiralty would probably raise ob- Lordship seems disposed to resent as somejections and place obstacles in the way. Sir thing personal our own criticism of the Bill. GEORGE BOWEN evidently anticipates that The Bill is to come on for third reading at Admiral Courbet was in ignorance of the peace the torpedo boats he has asked for will the next meeting of Council, and the official protocol having been signed, for the Volta only not be spared, or at all events for some votes will of course suffice to carry it through. time, and His Excellency has made a It is less objectionable now then when invery practical suggestion which will commend | troduced, the designation of Bishop RAIitself to the common sense of the community, momni having been altered from "Roman namely, that four Government launches, Catholic Vicar Apostolic of Hongkong" to which are found to be well suited to the "Vicar Apostolic of the Roman Catholic purpose, should be fitted up as torpede boats. Church in Hongkong," but it might, as we have admitted to and been proved guilty of acts It seems that there are plenty of both fish have said, have been rendered still less ob. of robbery and sedition, and have been sumand Whitehead torpedoes in store here, and jectionable had the Attorney-General endeathese boats could be fitted up at the small cost voured to frame it in consonance with the not so flagrant, being kept as a witness against of £55 each. It will be remembered that it | wishes of the unofficial members. was only an ordinary steam-launch from the Bayard that, under a withering fire from the THE Reuter's telegram received yesterday and chou in Hupel, had induced the above oriminal Chinese ships, destroyed the two vessels in published in another column, is of a rather to join themselves together by a sworn compact Sheipoo Roads with tornedoes. Of course more reassuring character than any received the Government, Kao I-feng styling himself of these launches would be subsidiary to the for some time with regard to the Anglo-Rusfour torpedo boats we already possess, but sian complication. The Russian Government they would assuredly be valuable saxiliaries. have disavowed the action of General Koma- rected to take measures for the registration of If we cannot get what we want and ought | BOFF, by asserting that his advance was conto have, let us at any rate do the best with trary to orders. It follows, as a matter of what is available, and trust that the days of | course, that this impetuous warrior will be makeshift will soon be over. No one has recalled, provided that the Russian Govern.

THE Bill for the Incorporation of the Vicar tions or promises. England must rely on was passed through Committee on Wednes- vassals so loyally proffered in this emergency. one remaining neutral. It is to be re- must be no relaxation of preparation, no in Council on a sectarian subject, seeing it into fancied security. England does not might have been so easily avoided. The want to fight; she carnestly desires to avoid The Roman Catholic body wished to sell the she will not refuse to take up the gage if Cathedral property in Wellington-street, the thrown down by Russia or any other count the first instance, enquire in what way will any proceeds of the sale to be used in the erec- try. Nor can she affect to be blind to the such expenditure be recouped."

promised is completely fulfilled.

tion of a new Cathedral, but a difficulty fact of Russian intrigues in Control arose in establishing a marketable title. To Asia, and if she wishes to maintain her supremacy in India, she must lake every premeet this a Bill was prepared by Mr. J. J. FRANCIS, as legaladvisor to Bishop Raimondr, caution to check attempts at aggression by "to, enable the Sacred Congregation for the being at all times well prepared for war. Propagation of the Faith to mortgage and sell certain property in Hongkong." This Bill dealt with the specific lot in question,

Vládivostock.

and was open to none of the objections

Bill. On reference to the Law Committee of

the Legislative Council, however, "it was con-

sidered that this Bill would not have the desired

effect, and it' was accordingly withdrawn,

presumably on the advice of the Attorney-

General. The papers laid before the Coun-

cil on Wednesday do not show on what

grounds it was considered the Bill would

not have the desired effect. Bishop' RAI-

MONDI's first application, it appears, was for

such incorporation as was granted in Trinidad

to the Archbishop of Port Louis by Ordin-

considerable time, to "introduce and pass a

special Ordinance reciting the circumstances

The Ordinance referring specially to the sale

of lot No. 50 having been withdrawn, Bishop

RAIMONDI pressed his request for incorpora-

tion: The Governor referred the matter to

no direction that any particular Bill should

he would have no objection to legislation of

to the Legislative Council on Wednesday

only one of these Ordinances is printed, and

that the one which the Attorney-General se-

lected as his model. The other one was not

included in the papers (which it was under-

especially authorizing the sale of Lot No. 50.

The Portuguese gunboat Tamega, Captain Avila, arrived here yesterday from Macao. The German gunboat Ittis left Shanghai' on the 10th inst. for Tientsin. The Nautilus has which have been raised against the present

gone into dock at Shanghai We have received from Captain John Ambrose Clarke a pamphlet showing the method of ascertaining the time of high water.

The French orniser Volta, Captain Gigon; and the corvette Kerguelen, Captain Fournier, left here yesterday for Haiphong. In addition to the Espiègle, we hear that the

way out to join the squadron of Admiral Sir W. Dowell in these waters. We publish to day the results of the second day's racing at Foochow, which took place, we learn, on the 15th instead of the 14th inst.,

ance No. 16 of 1870, or, as this would-take wonther. The Russian Volunteer Fleet's steamer Russia with 800 emigrants on board. (300 men and 500women), arrived at Singapore on the 7th inst. from Odessa and left the next morning for

> We have to acknowledge receipt, from the Chinese Imperial Maritime Customs Statistical Department of a Chinese translation of the Register of lighthouses, lightship, buoys, &c., for 1885, previously published in English,

We are informed by the Agents, Messrs. Russell & Co., that the E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Guti.rie left Port Darwin for this port yesterday norming and may be expected to arrive on or about the 26th inst.

A draft of over thirty sappers and miners of a certain character. Two Ordinances of the the Royal Engineers are, we hear, on their way out to this port from Gibraltar and Malta in one Legislature of Trinidad were forwarded to of the ${f P}$ and ${f O}$, steamers. This is a welcome inserve as precedents. In the papers presented dication that the fortifications are to be pushed on with more vigour.

The Daily News says that on the morning of the 7th instant the tugboat Rocket went down to the New Dock at Shanghai to tow the Whaon to the ex-blockade runner, damaging her to the exent of upwards of Tls. 1.000.

The Japan Mail says that the favoured candidate for nomination as Minister to China, in Mr. Young's place—judging from the strong the Committee on Foreign Affairs in the House

Inquests were opened on three bodies at the Mortuary yesterday afternoon. The bodies found dead in the harbour, and the third being that of a man who died at the Tung Wah Hospital from the effect of injuries sustained by all adjourned to the Magistracy this afternoon.

An addition has been made to the recent slen-Singapore and the provision of a flotilla of before the papers were published. Had that der collection of birds in the City Hall Museum was boarded while off Shaweishan by an officer pradore, and they went together to a lawyer. in the shape of two albatrosses, one of which was from the French cruiser Regnault de Genouilly. The witness was also further questioned by captured recently at Aberdeen, and the other was The chief officer of the Waverley received the Mr. Wotton and the court, but there was not lengthy reference from one department to far as the dealing with property was con- shot by Mr. J. S. Brewer this week off Cape Frenchman on his arrival on deck, and took him much added to his previous evidence. another. The proposals would, we presume, cerned, would have been secured without the Collinson. This is a handsome specimen measure to his room. On arriving there the chief officer, So Fung Shan said he lived in Kwong Kuen have to be submitted by the Colonial Office division of opinion which occurred at Wed- admirably preserved by the taxidermist at the an open boat, asked him whether he would have to him. He gave evidence to hearing two men

The British steamer Will-O' the Wisp and the sent of the Treasury would be necessary, were reminded of the religious animosity Portuguese gunboat Tamega went over to the and this no doubt would then be the most which led to the passing of the Ecclesiastical Cosmopolitan and Kowloon docks respectively difficult to obtain. It may therefore be some Titles Bill in England and the revulsion of to the Cosmonolitan dock to day and the Cosmonolitan dock to day and the Cosmonolitan dock to day and the Cosmonolitan dock to day to the Cosmopolitan dock to-day, and the Ger-We man steamer Ingraban will go round to Aberdeen. The German bardus Christins, the American barque Jno. M_{c} Clark, and the German its nature when it does come. The Imperial tween the two cases. The Ecclesiastical steamer Atalanta are to be discharged from the

With the change of monsoon the day of the is undoubtedly of the highest importance to to take territorial titles; the opponents of departure of the mails for Europe has also been the proper protection of imperial interests, the local Bill have no objection whatever to be by the Messageries Maritimes, steamer out his handkerchief, and after waving it in his The present Administration have shown too Bishop Raimondi taking what title he likes; Iraquaddy on the 21st instant. The next mail great a predilection for postponing the evil their objection is simply to the legislature by the P. & O. steamer Verona will leave here ness to make secure the communications be- clesiastical Titles Bill was repealed, the Par- fixed as the day of departure until September the ship for four hours and a half, they allowed ments of the Medical Department. I also for-

> that the market prices of white and brown sugar have risen to taels 5.6 to 5.7 and taels 2.3 to 2.4 is competing favourably with Szechuen sugar

We understand that the post of British Minister to China has been offered to and declined by the Hon. F. R. Plunkett, H.B.M.'s Minister to Japan. Consideration for the health of his family; and especially that of Mrs. Plunkett, was the to Peking. The Hon. T. G. Grosvenor, C.B. who was for so many years Secretary of Legation at Peking and who acted for some time as Wade, is now, as we suggested on a previous occasion, the most probable successor to Sir Harry:

Yesterday some reports confirmatory of the alleged seizure of the steamer Ping-on by the D'Estaing on the 11th inst. with 750 Chinese soldiers on board, and by her taken to Makung, of the Chinese soldiers tried to escape by jumping overboard, and several of them were shot in the attempt. At the time the capture was made eft Makung on the 11th and her officers first heard of the protocol on their arrival here. It will be well to suspend all judgment in regard to the Ping-on seizure until some more reliable and definite intelligence has been received.

The N. C. Daily News says:—The Governor of Honan reports the capture, first and last, or eleven members of a secret society, ten of whom marily executed and their heads exposed at the scene of their crime; the other, whose guilt is the leader of the movement and the many members of the gang who are still at large. The leader, Kao I-feng by name, a native of Hsinginto a league under his direction to plot against Prince. Strict orders have been given for the arrest of the said Kao I-feng and the remainder | Mr. Norton's Cruiser of the gang, and the authorities have been diall strangers and aliens in their respective juris-

Referring to the proposal for a direct cable between Hongkong and Singapore, the Straits | Mr. St. Andrew's Merry Monk...... Times says: "While heartily sympathizing shown a stronger desire to see the Colony ment mean what they say. There is, we with the feeling of our Hongkong friends that placed in a thoroughly effective state of de- think, some hope of a pacific sottlement of so important a Colony should no longer be fence than Sir George Bowen, and we can the boundary difficulty being arranged if the dependent upon the good will of France for being kept in telegraphic communication with rely on him to keep pegging away at the Russians act in good faith; but it-will not Europe, we must confess that we fail to see any Home Government until all that has been do to trust only to their assurances. We ground whatever for inviting help from this have too many examples of Muscovite perfidy Colony towards a direct cable. That the idea leserves support on Imperial grounds is evident on record to put much faith in their explana- enough, and that the matter is one in which Hongkong has an overwhelming interest Apostolic of the Roman Catholic Church in her own strength and determination, and the the establishment of a direct line with that Hongkong, introduced as a private Bill, co-operation of her Indian subjects and Colony will conduce to the benefit of Singapore is, we must confess not very plain. Hourkong is to Singapore very much what Singaday by the official votes, four of the She must keep her powder dry, her men pere is to Colombo; and we might with unofficial, members voting against it and ready, her ships in effective condition. There as much propriety invite Coylon to aid us in such a matter as Hongkong invites us. The telegraphic message from the Hongkong gretted that any conflict should have arisen resting upon cars, no bulling of ourselves Chamber of Commerce either means that this general principles every Singaporean will be history of the matter is briefly as follows: any embroilment with a foreign power; but glad to see direct communication/established with Hongkong. But when it comes to asking

The N. C. Daily News has been informed that the advices received from Peking by the native officials at Shanghai do not exactly coincide with the particulars respecting the present situation of affairs between France and China which have recently been made public. This may or may not be important. It is also a fact that the in surrection in Kashgar is causing the most serie anxiety to the anthorities in the capital.

A fire broke out in a candle shop at the top of the Ningpo-road in the Fokien-road, Shangha about a quarter to seven o'clock p.m. on the 11th instant. The house was between two fire walls so the flames did not apread. The silk guil with their engine, were the first on the scone. followed shortly afterwards by the Mih-ho-loongs, but the fire was being got well under when th Courier's reporter left, and it was evident their services would not be required.

A fatal accident occurred at Hung H. village yesterday morning. A stone buildin in course of erection collapsed and fell in and one of the Chinese workmen who was side was killed by some of the stones falling upon him and crushing his skull. Fortunately the mishap occurred while the workmen were at their meal, or the casualties would doubtless have been numerous. The cause having been postponed on account of bad of the fall of the house was the wretched manner in which the walls were being put up mortar being antirely absent in a considerable portion, and the rest of the construction of such a character as to be utterly useless.

> The remains of the late lamented British Minister to China have left Peking and were to be conveyed to Shanghai in Indo-China steamer Kowshing. The Mercury save :- "The French cruisors stationed the entrance of the Yangtaze have received orders to render military honours to the remains of the late Sir Harry Parkes, by firing a salute of thirteen guns, when the Kowshing passes by."-The Courier, commenting on this announcement, rightly says :- " Graceful and denations, and the French-nation is facile princeps in the art of exercising these amenities. It is most sincerely to be hoped that the present armistice will be followed by a peace, and that the harmony usually existing between French and English here, which has been a little ruffled of late, may be fully restored."

well is watching the Russian fleet very closely. Ewens for the defence. Hongkew, but had the misforture to run into On the 6th inst., news having spread that the Lung Kwong, the witness called at the previous working order and there will be no longer any residents for 1884, 3.09, is the highest in the past. nostay was reported as still being at Tientsin, house, that night, and that Li King was a look out for the Gornostan."

he went down into the ship's hold and looked at his things, and took note of nothing els nielsen that he wished him to let his sailors and being refused. turn the carge-over and take some of it out sothat he could see what was below. Captain Danielsen replied that his sailors were not stevedores, and that he would not order them to comply with the officer's request: This appeared to have annoyed the Frenchman, for turning round he went on deck muttering all the time, hand a few times, three boats, well manned, put off from the Regnault de Genouilly, and were her to proceed. The officer no doubt contemplated making the Waverley a prize. But

LATEST TELEGRAMS [SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO "DATLY PRESS."]

Amov, 16th April, 5 p.m. THE FRENCH BLOCKADE OF FOR-MOSA NOT REMOVED.

The steamer Hailoung has arrived from Tamsui, and reports communication not allowed. Our last advices, dated the 14th instant, stated that the steamer Hailoung left Amoy for Tamsni, and the Amatista for Taiwanfoo on the night of the 13th instant. It is probable they reached Formosa before any official intimation of the signing, of the protocol of peace had been received by the French commanders.- $\mathbf{E}_{\mathbf{D}}[D, P]$

 London, 15th April_ THE RUSSO-AFGHAN QUESTION. Despatches have been received from St. she was captured near Taiwan-foo by the cruiser | Petersburg renewing former assurances that the Russian advance on the Afghan frontier was

FOOCHOW SPRING RACES. SECOND DAY, 15th April.

Special Telegram to "Daily Press." FOOCHOW, 16th April

The Lugen Cup. (presented), value S-: for all China ponies; weights as per scale; winners of one race at this meeting 10 lbs. extra. of two or more 14 lbs. extra: entrance \$5.

Major Bagstock's Wild Walf The Bagstock Cup, (presented), value \$100; for all China ponies that have never run previous to this meeting; weights as per scale;

The Amoy Cup. (presented), value \$150: for all One mile and a half.

The HACK STAKES, of \$10 each with \$50 added; Cup; weights 7 lbs. over weight for inches; riders who have never won a race allowed 10

The Consolation Cur. value \$100; second pony \$25; for all bond fide non-winners at this meeting; weights as per apale; entrance \$5. One mile.

Mr. Spider's Heeltsp The CHAMPION STAKES, of \$10 each with \$100 added; a forced entry for winners excepting of Hack Stakes and Consolation Cup, winners of two races \$15 extra, of more than two \$40 extra; weights as per scale. One mile and a

Hr. Norton's Cruiser The Cosmopolitan Cup, (presented), value 3for all China ponies; weights 12 stone; to be ridden by Residents in the Fohkien province and officers of the Army and Navy; entrance \$5. Three-quarters of a mile.

Mr. St. Andrew's Merry Monk

POLICE COURT. 16th April. BEFORE MR. E. MACKEAN. A DRUNKEN CHINAMAN.

Lo Ayuk, mat packer, was fined \$5, and in default sent to gaol for a week for drunkonness and assaulting a Chinese constable in Square THE CHARGE OF LARCENT AND ASSAULT ON

Frank Poiseda, private of the Buffs, appeared on remand, to a charge of having stolen some vegetables at Kowlcon on the 12th inst: and assoulting P. S. Ahmed Noor in the execution of

After a fight with them they escaped him, but a the previous nine years. forage cap was left in his possession hearing No. called evidence to prove he was in bed at the

haviour for six months. TEZE FA GAMBLING.

fa lottery tickets. ed by Inspector Quincey on a similar charge, cases. and he was fined \$50, which he paid, \$3 being

given to the informer

PETTY LARCENTES. Tse Akan, coolie, for stealing a soda water ottle at the Hongkong Hotel on Wednesday, was fined \$5, and in default sent to gool for a some airy wards for the patients.

Wong Assu, hawker, was sentenced to four-THE CHARGE OF ARSON.

unlawfully, feloniously and maliciously set fire | now in course of preparation. to a shop at No. 11, Bonham Strand, with intent to defraud a Hamburg Fire Insurance Office on in the course of construction. The foundations the 18th October, 1884. The Shandhai Courier says:—"Admiral Do- | Mr. Wotton appeared for the prosecution; Mr. | will see it completed.

Russian gunboat Gornostoy was to leave Tien- hearing, was cross-examined at considerable length offensive long deceased bodies brought to the ten years. tsin immediately for an unknown destination, by Mr. Ewons. He went over the same ground neighbourhood of the Hospital. H.B.M.'s gunboat oMerlin, which was also at as was before traversed, and he further said he Tientsin, immediately proceeded to Taku and an- gave no money for the promissory note which have not been quite so numerous as in the two chored outside the bar. The Gornostay had a had been given him in fulfilment of the promise fromer years, 1881 and 1882. The following which may be caused by fifth poison. good quantity of coal on board and was prepared of giving him something good. He was told to table shews the number and position of the for a long voyage, but whom a pilot was applied for go and make a report of the fire at the Magia- patients brought to Hospital for the past four to take hor out of the Peine all the pilots were tracy, and say it was caused by a kerosine lamp. engaged, and up to the time of the Fungshun's He went and made the report. He was also to departure from Taku Bar on the 7th, the Gor | say that the prisoner was away, at his family under steam, waiting for a pilot. The Merlin his club. He gave the information accordwas at Taku Bar ready to follow the Russian, ingly, but the information was false. Some and it was reported that another British man-of- weeks after the fire a friend asked him about war was cruising in the Gulf of Pechili on the it, and he told them the prisoner set fire to the house, and he then made the otherreport to the police. Besides his friend witness The subjoined narrative is taken from the also told the compredore of Messrs. Pustan & Shanghai Courier :- "We learn from the North | Co. that the fire was an act of incendiarism that the Waverley, on-her passage to Chefoo, He also showed the promissory note to the com-

ing 7 feet 9 inches across the wings. It has been seeing that the Frenchman had had a long pull in East-street. The Mi King shop was new door a drink of whiskey. 'No,' was his reply, 'I will run out of the back door of that shop on the first see your papers; I know you before; I see | night in question immediately before the fire you down in the Formesa.' The ship's papers were | broke out. He did not hear those men call out then shown to him, and having looked at them | "fire." After that he was engaged in removing the ship's cargo. He then told Captain Da. The case was remanded to to-morrow at 10

THE COLONIAL SURGEON'S REPORT

The following report by the Colonial Surgeon was laid on the table of the Legislative Council on Wednesday afternoon:-Government Civil-Hospital, Hongkong, 30th March, 1885.

SIE,-I have the honour to forward my Annual ward reports from the Superintendent of the Government Civil Hospital, the Superintendent of the Lock Hospital, and the Government

2.—The admissions from the Police Force to Hospital, in 1884, show a decrease of over one hundred as compared with 1883. For the last four years the numbers have been as follows:-1881, 498; 1882, 549; 1883, 599; and 1884, 486 shewing a considerable improvement, especially when the strength of the Force in the different years is taken into consideration. The average strength of the Force in the last four years has been :-1881, 624; 1882, 588; 1883, 658; and

3.—There were seven deaths in the Force; one European, one Indian, and five Chinese; of these deaths only two occurred in Hospital; one Euronean and one Chinese. The Indian died in India while away on leave. One Chinese died in China while on leave, and three others in their own

4.—Table I. shows the admissions to Hospital f each class of the Force during each month of the year 1884. The number of admissions of a Chinese constable. every class is, as usual, largest in the summer

5.—Table II. gives the average strength of the different sections of the Force, the death rate of sickness and mortality to strength. 6.—Table III. shows the number of admissions o Hospital of the different sections of the Force

front the different stations and districts. 7.-The Water Police Hulk being burnt, destroyed one great source of sickness amongst the Force, but the new Water Police Station not being ready, the men were located at Crosby's Store, which, during their stay there, proved no improvement on the Hulk. Towards the end of the year they were removed into the New Water Police Station on the Kowloon side, and this, so far, has been a great improvement. It has yet to be seen how it works in the summer

8 .- Stanley Station, which in 1883 sent in twenty-eight cases, this year only sent in thirteen; the number is still high as, in 1882, only seven cases were received. This year, while the old Station is being partially rebuilt and repaired, the men have been stationed in the

old military quarters there.

9.—No. 2 and No. 3 Stations sent in 18 cases this year, as compared with 39 in 1883. Most of the cases come-from No. 3 Station which winners 10 lbs. extra; entrance \$5. One mile. | should be pulled down and entirely rebuilt; there is plenty of room for an excellent Station there. 10.-No. 7 Station sent in 29 cases, as compared with 58 in 1883. This Station should also be en-China ponies; weights as per scale; winners tirely rebuilt, as there is plenty of room for an with malingerers and others, come up for exof 1 mile and over 7 lbs. extra; entrance \$5. excellent Station and no reason for its being so amination every morning or to be passed for 11.—The Central Station furnishes many more

cases than it should do. This Station and No. 9 in the Gaol for the year 1884. The STAND STARES of \$10 each with \$50 added; admit of much improvement. The latter, an old Table XI a shews the character of the cases for all China ponies; weights as per scale; Station of the Bungalow description, only used admitted to the Gaol Hospital immediately on winners of the Consular Cup, Spring Cup, or for married quarters, should be rebuilt with two their reception from the Courts, In the case Leger Cup 7 lbs. extra: if of two of these stories. Whitfeild Station is now the worst of of Europeans it is principally from the effects races 10 lbs, extra. Three-quarters of a mile, the out-stations and sends in a very bad class of of alcohol; in that of Chinese, debility or depends on the water supply. fever cases, though, as regards the building itself. there is nothing to quarrel with; but a great amount of earth cutting, &c., has been going on a time to make sure of their condition. for all China ponies not otherwise entered at of late years in the neighbourhood. However, this meeting, except for the Cosmopolitan think time will work improvement in this Station. 12.—The admissions to Hospital from the various sections of the Force for the last four years the number of years they have been addicted to ing. Besides the reports on some poisoning Europeans, Indians, Chinese

Admissions to Hospital, 1881. 88 13. This shows that the improvement has taken place chiefly among the Europeans and 14. The admissions to Hospital and deaths of members of the Police Force during the past ten years are given below :-

,)eat
1875	436	14
1877	**********	 6
1879		19
4881	498	10
1882 1883	519	10

year, but an increase in the number of deaths. 16.—Table IV, gives the average strength of years. the Force, the cases of sickness and deaths, with The heaviest weight admitted is 139 lbs.,...his the percentage to strongth for 1884. I give be- daily consumption 2 mace, increase in weight low, for the sake of comparison, the number of 71bs, had smeked 20 years; none of these last admissions and deaths for the past ten years. Admissions. Deaths.

1878 944 17.-The sickness, therefore, is nearly equa

It will be remembered that Noor said he met to any of the previous five years and is only ex- ment Analyst, who has had much difficulty and two soldiers at Kowloon shortly after midnight, coeded twice in the previous nine years, while discomfort to contend with, in even his ordinary with a quantity of vogotables in their possession. the number of deaths is only exceeded once in daties: 18.—The Indian Troops, like the Indian Police,

to their strength than the white Troops or Police. | certainly nothing more than a tebucco smoker The Indian Troops have, as a rule, better quar- | would suffer. His Worship ordered the defendant to find ters, lighter duties, and less exposure than the one surety of \$10, or a deposit, to be of good be- Police, yet their sickness in proportion to their strength is not much less, so that the sickness among them cannot be accounted for in this Ah Ning, of No. 1, Hung Hong, Quesn's-road way. Their own climate is as cold in winter, West, was summoned by Inspector-Grey on a las most of them come from northern India, and charge of keeping on agency for dealing in taze | very much hotter in summer, and it is not less variable in its changes. The same diseases are The offence was proved by P.S. Angus Mann common to both climates. They can in both four males and two females. Four wore disand an informer, and the defendant was fined cases procure the diet they are accustomed to in \$25, in default of paying which he was sent to | their own country and they are both better paid and clothed. So that it is difficult to account Wang Tang, of 24, Square-street, was summon- for so much sickness amongst them in both and nationality of the cases and the longth of

GOVERNMENT CIVIL HOSPITAL. 19.—This Establishment is now conducted the Old Look Hospital, which has been altered this Hospital during the year was 1,474; the and improved according to the plans approved total treated 1.558; of these 755 died. by the Secretary of State and now provides hand. The number of out-patients treated was

20.—The New Lock Hospital is still occupied The number of moribund cases brought to as part of this Establishment and will remain so Hospital is 291. icute attentions like these do a great deal to teen days hard labour for stealing four fowls in until the Fever Wards, Veneroal Wards, Coolies strengthen the entente cordials between the two Sung On Lane, Wyndham-street, yesterday Quarters, &c., &c., are finished, which, I hope, Small Pox Wards of this Hospital was 15; of will take place before the end of the year. 21.—Besides these buildings, a new Hospital, Cheung Akwong, trader, was brought before a Mortuary and a Laboratory have to be con- formed by the travelling vaccinators of the Tung the Court, on remand, on the charge of having structed and the ground for these buildings is Wa Hospital during the year was 1,694.

22.—The house for the Superintendent is also have been laid and I hope a few months more 23.—The New Public Mortuary is now in Hongkong. The percentage to the number of

24.—The admissions during the past year

Board of Trade Private paying Patient.....193 268 Government Servants 67 88 Government Servants 67 1,236 1,458 1,502 1,354

Police, Board of Trade, and Government Servants, all of which it is very satisfactory to note. Private paying patients remain about the same. Police cases show a steady increase in every year which is unsatisfactory. Destitutes are about 26.—Table V. shews the character of the diseases admitted to Hespital. 27.—Table VI. shows the rate of mortality of the different classes admitted to Hospital. 28.—Table VII. shows the admissions and

deaths in each month of the year both sickness and mortality being greatest in the last seven months of the year. This is not usual; the summer months June, July, August, and September have generally brought in the largest number. but this year the numbers in all classes kept up pretty steadily to the end of the year. 29.—Table VIII, shows the number of dead bo dies brought to the Mortuary and shews a great decrease in the number of children, only 25; the number of adults has also been considerably decreased, being 56, but for the last three months of the year the bodies were taken to the new Public Mortuary of which the record is not set

30.—The number of admissions and deaths in the Government Civil Hospital for the past ten

years are as follows:-Admissions.

31.—The percentage of deaths to admissions, 3.69, is the smallest percentage in the past ten years, showing that the cases admitted have been by pretty large jumps from 1873, when the total less severe in character than in former years. 32.—Many of the complaints in the Superintendent's report-will, I hope, be rectified in the course of the year. They have all been reported when the total reached I,496; this year it has on in previous reports.

SMALL POX HOSPITAL 33.—Seven cases of small pox were admitted during the year, of whom two died; the rest were of a very mild type. 34.—Table VIII. shows the numbers of admissions and deaths, the nationality and the number

VICTORIA GAOL. Naval Hospital, and they all came in vessels 35.—The number of prisoners admitted to from Japan. Still it is very clear that these gaol this year is greater than for the past two classes of diseases have very largely increased of years. The daily average number in the gaol. however, has been but slightly increased, as the totals, and have not shown any great in-

average for the past ten years. Total No. of Prisoners Daily average No. admitted to Gool. So that although there is an increase of over

500 in the admissions, there is only an increase of 10 in the daily average number of prisoners in gaol. This shows a slight improvement in the daily average for the past two years. 36. The number of sick admitted to this hospital is still large and is owing, as before reported, to the number of vagabonds and beggars sent in of late years. 37.—Table IX. shews the admissions to hos-

pital, the nationality and disease and the number of deaths, which was only three. 38.—Table X. shews the number of cases treated in the cells. Besides these there are numbers of petty complaints not registered who, together punishment. Table XI; shows the rate of sickness and deaths

venereal disease. Many of them come in looking so seedy that they are put under observation for improvement, will also have to wait and many

weight for every week of the first month of their are other things well worthy of circulation, detantion or as long as they remained if less than a month; with the nature of the com. Thus, out of 87 recorded smokers, there were muching of an unwholesome nature was to be only 12 under treatment and mone of these exseeded two mose in their consumption of optum. The analysis of the water supply is not satis-One opium smoker died this year, a case of gene- factory. The water supplied from the Pokinral debility, and this is the first opium smaker lam Recervoir is good, but of 42 wells examined that has died in the Gaol in the eleven years I only one, situated in Caine Road, was found to have been in medical charge. This was very less in impurity, in most cases greatly so, and sensationally made use of in some Public Papers. under the head of Death of an Opium Smoker In Victoria Gaol. The largest consumer of any purpose opium admitted this year was No. 14 five mace: he had been eight years an opium amoker and pered by want of a proper laboratory, which weighed 8011bs on admission increased 311bs. Three had been opium smokers for thirty years, one daily consuming one mace, one daily consuming two mace, and one daily consuming three

The lightest weight admitted was 75 lbs., his

number admitted to the Military Hospital this daily consumption 3 mace and he increased in weight 8 lbs. in the first month; had smoked 20

received any special treatment. -I can find no special symptoms common to all opium smokers when deprived of the use of the drug; they are all ready enough to complain if there is snything the matter with them. and are all watched with the greatest care, and I find. nothing to recall in anything I have stated in

previous reports. Nothing has been done in the way of chemical analysis of the opium smoke, as the very limited accommodation for laboratory work is hardly equal to the ordinary requirements of the Govern-

There still remains as an established fact th the sudden deprivation of the drug produces no seem to suffer more from sickness in proportion | swil effect and causes no appreciable discomfort

TEMPORARY LUNATIC ASYLUM.

39.—This wretched building is no longer in existence. The patients were removed from it at the end of the year, and we now have a fine airy building not far from the Government 40 .- There were only six admissions this year;

charged and sent to their native places relieved. l and two remain. 4].-Table XL d shows the number. nature, their detention.

TUNG WA HOSPITAL. 42.-The total number of patients admitted to

The number of Small Pex cases treated in the The number of vaccinations successfully per-

HEALTH OF THE COLONY. 52.—Table XVI. shows the rate of mortality among European and American residents in

. I give below the tables of the death rates for the past twelve years among Europeans and Chinose, as registered in Hongkong, from diseases

YEAR.	1373	1874	1875	1876	1877	1878
Enterio Simple Continued. Typhus Diarrhosa	_6 -	1 4 17	15 18	1 9, 14	5 8 10	3 15 2 9
Totals	25	26	24	24	27.	- 29
THAR.	1879	1880	1881	1832	1923	t B
E (Enterio	8 21	1 12	2 17	10	1 9	7
E Enterio Simple Continued Typhus Diarrhoa	14	10	10	13	9	12

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Diarrhoa	-	'_	0 10 4 29		19	12
Totals DEATHS				<u> </u>	119	<i></i>
YEAR.	1973	1874	1975	1876	a t 3 7 7	1978
E Enteric Simple Continued Typhus Diarrhosa	16	125 46 231	81 291 238	94 313 259	145 970 8 311	89 431 33 701
Totale	395	402	612	696	631	1,804
YEAR.	1879	1360	1681	1882	1883	1831
E Enteric	116 733 21 608	873	168 38	71	571	132 600 2 301
Totals	1.478	1.030	1.079	1.215	1.496	1.035

53.—The figures in the European table vary but slightly in the different years and classes of disease, and the totals still less. The figures in the Chinese table vary very considerably in the different years, both as regards the different classes of disease and the totals. Why enterio fever should vary from 12 to 679, simple continned fever from 46 to 733 and diarrhos from 195 to 701, is very hard to say. I have here given the lowest and the highest numbers in any of the twelve-years given in the tables. I can only ascribe it to a confusion in the diagnosis of the different diseases. The totals show that the mortality from these different diseases went up was 319, to 1879, when the total reached 1.478 in 1880; the total made then a large drop to 1.090 and then went on rising again till 1883, again made a large drop to 1,035. Typhus I have laid no stress upon, as it has not, so far as I can ascertain, bean diagnosed by European

disease, unless carefully isolated, likely to stop 54.—The only cases, as far as I can ascertain of days of detention. They were principally of true typhus ever seen by European physicians seamen from vessels in the harbour. One was in Hongkong, were some cases received many years ago in the Seamen's Hospital, now the late years among the Chinese, as is shown by compared with last year. The following figures clination to go back to their former small numshow the number of admissions and the daily bers, which does not speak well for the Chinese portion of the city of Victoria or the villages of Hongkong, as regards sanitation.

physicians as occurring in the tropics and is not

55.—The sanitary board can do little to help this state of things, as long as the Building Ordinance and other Ordinances affecting the general health of the population remain as atpresent, for they are powerlass to interfere in many cases. For instance, in the majority of Chinese houses and many of those occupied by Europeans who can get no other quarters, the latrine is situated in the kitchen, not a very pleasant thing to think of. Not that the Chinese themselves like this arrangement, but they, like some Europeans, are compelled by circumstances to put up with it. It will at any rate take many years to remedy this state of things. Then all wells should be done away with especially in the Chinese quarters of the town, the state of the drainage as shown in Mr. Chadwick's reports rendering the subsoil of the town yearly more unwholesome), and this cannot be done so long as the water supply is so limited. Many wells, that cannot be chemically proved to be unwholesome, are far from coming under the head of what are called potable waters. And many of them are by the Chinese themselves condemned as unfit for drinking, but are used for washing purposes only. Many have been closed as being unfit for any purpose, and this inflicts great hardship and expense on the poorer class of Chinese in the neighbourhood, who obtained their water from this source, for they have to go to much farther a field for their supplies.

58.—The progress of reorganising the drainage is necessarily alow, and this also greatly 57.—The markets, which are sadly in need of

other things that I have brought to notice years. Table XI. b shows the number of opium amo- ago in my reports remain in state que or have kers, of one mace and upwards, admitted to Gael improved for the worse. this year, the quantity smoked by each daily, Mr. Crow's analytical report is very interest-

the habit, their weight when admitted and their cases, on poisons in use by the Chinese, there The analysis of bread supplied from various sources in Hongkong was very satisfactory.

some wells were utterly condemned as unfit for

The analytical work has been greatly hamwant, I hope, will soon be rectified.-I have the honour to be, Sir. Your most obodient servant, PR. B. C. AYRES.

The Honourable W. H. Marsh, C.M.G., Golonial Secretary do. do. do.

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THE ARRANGEMENT BETWEEN FRANCE AND CHINA.

imperial Decree on the above subject. Subimportant document :--

FROM "H.O. DAILY NEWS." certain terms. Beyond this their petition does of a peaceful settlement of the matters in dispute not go, and we have already consented to grant An army of twenty thousand Russians is advantheir prayer. It is thus agreed that, in Annam, cing from the Caucasus to the Afghan frontier, at all places east of Haunn Kuang hostilities are and munitions of war are also being pushed for to cease at the beginning of the 3rd moon; ward as rapidly as possible. Indian officers on the Chinese troops are to be recalled on the 11th, furlough in England are hastening their return 21st. At all places west of Hauan Kuang hos- yesterday. tilities are to cease on the 11th of the 3rd moon; Sir. Donald Stewart takes command of the are to cease at the beginning of the 3rd moon, been chartered to bring mules from Burmah. when the French will raise their blockade of the various ports. Li Hung-chang will notify the Viceroys and Governors of the seaboard provinces of the issue of this Decree: and, pending the final determination of theseveral clauses | war preparations are going on here, every de in the Treaty of Peace, precautions must be partment being worked night and day. taken against all acts of treachery, and the ______THE DUBBAR AT RAWAL PINDI Vicercys and Governors of Yunnan, Kweichow, their watchfulness.—Respect this.

FEROM "SHANGHAI MERCURY."] for peace we have agreed that in the east of A salute of 31 guns announced the arrival of the Tuyen-kwang, in Annam, hostilities are to be train. After introductions and salutations the suspended on the 1st of the 3rd moon; our Vicercy and Lady Dufferin entered a carriage soldiers to retire on the lith, and all troops to and four, and proceeded at a walk along the arrive within the frontier of Kwangsi on the entire route, accompanied by their Staff and 21st, and, that in the west of Tuyen-kwang, guests. The Ninth Lancers, with the Royal hostilities to be suspended on the 11th of 3rd Horse Artillery, furnished a Body Guard. The moon, our soldiers to retire on the 21st and route selected was two miles long, and lined all troops to arrive within the frontier of throughout on both sides by Infantry Cavalry, Yunnan on the 22ud of 4th moon. In Formoss Artillery and the Elephant Battery in close rehostilities are to be suspended on the 1st of view order—such a picked body of troops has 3rd moon, and the French have to recall all the seldom before assembled together. The 14th men from the blocksded ports immediately. Sikhs and Goork has elicited special praise; Li Hung-chang is ordered to telegraph this to crowds of people thronged the route, but were all, the Governor-Generals and Governors of perfectly silent. Another salute of 31 guns anthe maritime Provinces for their respective nounced the arrival of the Viceroy in Camp and observance; but before the definite terms have then the troops dispersed. The three Combeen negotiated they ought not to neglect manders in Chief held a Conference to day, and being ready for defence, fearing the French will place their programme before the Vicercy would be tricky and invade suddenly. Li to-night. Hung-chang should also instruct the Governorready for defence without negligence.

privilege which all translators claim and know as | be mobilised. "freedom" The rendering of the word ch'ing as "sued" has never yet in my experience been admitted, and where he could have found the word "petition," written or understood, will puzzle many a reader. It is very unfair in translating to run through a long list of synonyms and salect the most objectionable expression, the intention of the writer being as far as possible removed from any such meaning, but through the flexibility of our language making such a translation literally possible. A more moderately worded document could scarcely have been framed in Chinese, and to those who have a knowledge of the lauguage, it is pleasing to compare it with Decrees of the past.

Permit me to offer a translation by the side of what appeared in the N. C. Daily News of the 10th:-

The French have The French having now sued for peace up- asked for peace, and on certain terms. Be since in addition to the youd this their petition Treaty [of Tientsin] does not go and we have they ask for nothing already consented to that we cannot willing. grant their prayer. ly concede. We have agreed to their request.

CHINA AND JAPAN. THE NEGOTIATIONS AT TIENTSIN.

--- Lientsin, 6th April The negotiations between China and Japan are rogressing favourably. Li Hung-chang, a you Count Ito before the latter's arrival at Tientsin. Li would therefore have stopped the Count here. and commenced the negotiations at once. But Count Ito felt that as he was accredited to the Emperor of China, his duty was to proceed direct to the capital, and present his credentials before everything else. It does not do to depart from the strict routine with China. Nobody can foresee what strange advantage she may take of any informality. Moreover, there was reason to be lieve that Li himself was by no means unwilling to see Count Ito proceed to Peking: For many reasons the Viceroy's rôle as a negotiator would be made easier by that course. To Peking accordingly Ito went. He was resolved to come to a perfectly clear understanding as to the powerse conferred on Li before consenting On LONDON .to return to Tientsin and open the conference, if, indeed, he should return at all. At Peking no little pressure was exercised by the people there to bring about a change in the locals of the negotiations. But whether the Ministers of the Tsung-li Yamen themselves were really desirous of re-assuming the respon- On Paris. sibility which they had delegated to Li, or whether the pressure was chiefly due to the natural desire of the foreign Legations to centralize On Bombay.—Bank, 3 days' sight... 222 everything diplomatic, it was not quite easy to ON CALCUTTA.—Bank, 3 days' sight... 222 distinguish. At all events, Count Ito was very willing to have to do with Li Hung-chang, and by no means willing to push capriciously for a change in the programme, which had seemed, from the first, desirable to the Cabinet in Tokio. Accordingly, so soon as the question of Li's powers was placed beyond all doubt, Ito set out for Tientsin. He did not open the negotiations in any way at the capital, and it is quite erroneous to speak of his withdrawal, or of any failure to come to an understanding with the Tsung-li Yamèn.

At the time of writing, two conferences have taken place here; one at Li's Yamen and one at June. the Japanese Consulate. Ito and Li seem to appreciate each other thoroughly, and the latter 56 per cent. for 30th June. has expressed himself in very warm terms with regard to the impression produced on him by the former. So far, the negotiations have progressed as favourably as could have been reasonably anticipated. Some difficulty may of course be experienced in arriving at an understanding with regard to the dogree of blame attaching to the Chinese commanders and troops in Seoul. but no insuperable hitch seems likely to occur. It remains to be seen what effect the news of the settlement with France will produce upon China's mood, but Japan is so moderate and friendly that it will be strange if a modus vivend! Yangtare Insurance Association-Tls. 130 per exampt be found.

TIENTSIN, 8th April. The relations of China and Japan continue friendly, and negotiations between Count Ito On Tai Insurance Company, Limited-Tls. 148 PITH HATS, MATTING and BAMECO BLINDS. and Li Chung tang are progressing.—N. Daily News.

PEKING.

4th April The body of the late Sir Harry Parkes started i for Shanghai on Good Friday morning before Hongkong and Whampos Dock Company's daylight. The city gate was specially opened Shares—53 per cent prem. for it, and sixty men carried it to Tung Chon, Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.'s where it is to be put on a boat for Tientsin. I was escorted by a large body of pd ice, mounted and on foot, sent by the Tsung-Bayamen -N. C. Daily News Correspondent.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

[FROM INDIAN PAPERS.]

THE WAR IN THE SOUDAN. LONDON. 28th March. *sette telegraphs that Major Chermside reports been defeated at Daggah, between Senheid and Kassala, by the friendly Buriahmars. They Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$68 esptured many cattle and camels, and a large number of Remingtons. Major Chermaide fur- Hongkong Ice Company's Shares \$140 per ther reports that Kassala is still holding out ean Trishman has resched Osman Digma's Camp: He left Chicago and arrived at Caylon, disguist Perak Tin Mining and Smelting Company ing himself as an Iudian merchant. He had an

WAR PREPARATIONS IN INDIA. EONDON. 26th March.

The political outlook in Central Asia is just at Chinese Imperial Boan of 1881-1 per cent. dis.

present exceedingly gloomy; negotiations between Britain and Russia are making little or, no progress, and the probabilities of a diplomatic rap-The Shan Pao has published an abstract of an there is only one belief, namely, that war is imminent. The Cabinet has decided upon the adoption joined we give two different translations of this of a firm and resolute policy, and to take hold and spirited action should any necessity arise later on. The state of affairs on the Afghan frontier is ex-The French have now sued for peace upon tremely critical, and there appears to be little hope

and are to reach the frontier of Kuangsi on the to India. Seventy of them booked their passages

The Afghan Field Force will consist of 50,00 instead of 25,000 men, and will be under the command of Sir Donald Stewart. Extensive SWATOW AND BANGKOK

BOMBAY, 28th March. and the seaboard provinces, besides all military. His Excellency the Viceroy arrived punctually commanders, must be instructed to exercise the at Rawal Pindi, at 5 p.m. yesterday and met greatest care and diligence, and never to relax with a brilliant reception. The three Commanders-in-Chief, the Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjoh General Sir Michael Biddulph and Staff, all Heads of Departments, and all the In compliance with the request of the French | Native Chiefs were assembled on the platform.

Reports are current that the Maharajah of Generals, Governors of Yunnan and Kwei- Cashmere is in disgrace, and likely to be deposed chow and Commanders in all directions to on account of treasonable correspondence having notify the defence army to be very careful as been discovered between him and Russian agents. to the movement of the French, and be always He has been forbidden to attend the Durbar, but ordered to present himself at Lahore after it. A correspondent of the Courier, signing him. Camp, to send twenty-five thousand troops from the camp and this Presidency to Quetta, in With all deference to the translator of the Im- anticipation of the necessity for a further move | W. perial Edict, which appeared in the N. C. Daily to Herat. Sir Frederick Roberts will command | 7h. 23 m 6 51 News of the 10th instant, I must differ from him this force, while Divisional commands will be in his rendering of the opening sentences of given to Generals Herbert, Macpherson, Prenthat document. He has, unintentionally let us derghast and the Duke of Connaught. In addihope, allowed himself too much in the use of that tion to this force a strong reserve division will

Messrs. Sotheby have sold the famous Kests love letters addressed to Fanny Brawns. The bidding for the early lots was spirited, and high prices were obtained. Lot 1, a letter of three narto pages commencing "My dearest Lady" and speaking of the morning being the only time at which he could write, for his passion at nigh gets the mastery over him, fetched £13. The next letter, written from Shanklin, three quarto pages, £18 10s.; another four quarto pages, £27 another, closely written, four quarto pages, £20; station. (Lot 5) a similar letter, £19; (Lot 6) one and a half pages quarto, £13; (Lot 7) just over one page quarto £11 10s.; another letter of one and a half pages quarto £20; another £9 15s.; and another, undated, £6 10s.

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It is reported from Massowah that an Ameri- Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited -S118 per share. -840 per ahare. interview with Arabi Pasha. He subsequently Selangor Tin Mining Company \$13 per share. landed on the Arabian Coast, and joined Osman | Perak Sugar Cultivation Company-Tis. 35 per

the Chinese troops are to be recalled on the 21st, Quetta field force. Owing to transport diff. and to reach the frontier of Yunnan on the 23rd | culties, the men will not be ready to start for of the 4th. All hostile operations in Formosa some time. Three P. and O. steamers have

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Cargo and Specie will be registered for Lon don as well as for Marsoilles, and accepted in places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon. Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M., Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 20th April, 1885. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, 9th April, 1885.

--- STEAM FOR SINGAPORE. PENANG. ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA GIBRALTAR, BRINDISI, VENICE, TRIESTE, PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON; BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND

AUSTRALIA. For Further Particulars regarding Freight N.B.—CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THEOUGH GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIESTE, HAM-BURG, NEW YORK, AND BOSTON. FINE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM

NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship "VERONA," Captain A. C. Loggin, with Her Mails, &c., by the British Contract Packet:—
Majesty's \Mails, will be despatched from Day of Denarture.

this for LONDON via BOMBAY AND SUEZ NOON.—Monov Order Office closes. CANAL on FRIDAY, the 24th April, at 2.00 P.M.—Registry of Letters ceases. Post-

TEN A.M., on the day of sailing. shipped at Colombo; Tea and General Cargo | 3.40 P.M .- Late Letters may be posted on board for London will be conveyed via Bombay with-[704] out transhipment, arriving one week later than by the ordinary direct route via Colombo. For further particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE apply to the PENINSULAR & OBJENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S 5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office

Office, Hongkong. The Contents and Value of Packages are remired to be declared prior to shipment Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading.

N.B.—This steamer takes Cargo and Passen gers for Marsailles. A. McIVER. Superintendent. Hongkong, 17th April, 1885.

TOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS:

Neither the CAPTAINS, the AGENTS, nor the OWNERS, will be "RESPONSIBLE for any DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crews of the following Vessels during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-

ATALANTA, Ger. str., Pfoff.—Siemssen & Co. ALDEN BESSE, Am. bk., J. A. O'Brien.—Mel chers & Co. ALEX. MCNEIL, Am. sh., G. W. David.—Mel. at least one day before the date fixed for sailing.

chers & Co. [536 BILLY SIMPSON, Brit. bk., Brown.—Captain. BLACKADDEE, Brit. sh., E. Hase.—Russell &

principle hitherto attained. The typography David, Master, will load here for the above EDEN, Brit. bk., John Nairn.-Jardine, Matheson & Co.

> Chinese. R. R. THOMAS Am. sh., P. B. Nichols,—Order. SWAN, Amr. bk., Henderson.—Blackhead & Co. VELOCITY, Brit. bk., R. Martin.—Pustan & Co.

SUMMER TIME TABLE. THE KOWLOON FERRY.

STEAM-LAUNCH

"MORNING STAR" Runs Daily as a Ferry Boat between Peddae's WHARF and TSIM-TSA-TSUI at the following hours: This Time Table will take offect from the loth April 1885 WEEK DAYS. Loaves LUBYUS ... Loaves Hongkong Kowloon 7.00 A.M. 6.00 A.M. 8.30 ... 7.30 ,, 7.00 A.M. 6.00 L.M. 8.30

9.00 ,, 9.00 12.00 MOOM.10.15 11.00 12.30 P.M. 12.30 P.M. ₱10.45 · 1.00 ,, 2.90 ,, 8.00 ,, 4.00 ,, 4.80 ,, 12:45 P.W. 1.30 , 3.30 " 5.30 " 4.15 " 4.50 " 6.25 " 8.10 There will be no Launch on Menday and

Friday, on account of coaling. The above Time Table will be strictly adhered to except under unavoidable circumstances. In case of stress of weather, due notice will be 1118 given of any stoppages.

MAILS EXPECTED

THE AMERICAN MATE. The P. M. steamer City of New York, with the next American mail, left Yokohama on the 13th, and is due here about the 18th instant.

THE PRENCH MAIL. The M. M. steamer Yangtes, with the next outward French mail, left Singapore on the 12th and may be looked for here on or about the 19th instant.

STEAMERS EXPECTED. The British steamer Afghan left Singapore on the 14th, and is due here on, or about

the 20th instant. The Austro-Hungarian Lloyd's steamer Amphitrite left Singapore at 1 p.m. on the 15th. and may be expected on or about the 22nd inst. The E. and A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Guthrie. left Port Darwin on the 16th, and may be looked for here on or about the 26th inst.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES

When Correspondence has been missent or delayed (both of which are liable to happen occasionally) all that the addressee need do is to Postmaster-General. This should be acted on the first time cause of complaint occurs : it is a mistake to let such matters pass for fear of giving trouble, a course which generally gives

Attention is invited to the following par ticulars on the subject of Local Delivery :---LOCAL DELIVERY .- No delivery is attempted on board Ship, at the Peak, Kowloon, Aberduen, &c. nor at any private house (even though ramed in the address) when there is a place of business nearer; at which delivery can be effected (Postal Guide, par. 159).

The above Regulation is not new, but has been the invariable rule of the Post Office for many years. Considerable efforts have been made to secure its being generally understood. To prevent, however, if possible, any further disappointment in the matter, it will appear permantly on the Mail Lists issued twice every day from the Daily Press Office.

The Postal Guide for 1885, revised to date will be found in the Daily Press Directory. p. 393 large edition. p. 657 small edition. This is the only authorized complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong.

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is always. corrected to a much later hour than that given

A MAIL WILL CLASE. For Amoy and Shanghai.—Per Deucation, tomorrow, the 18th inst., at 9.30 A.M. For Straits and Bombay. - Per Sumatra, tomorrow. the 18th inst., at 1.30 P.M. For Shanghai.—Per Ningpo, to-morrow, the 18th inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Haifong.-Per Saltee, to-morrow, the 18th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Chefoo and Newshwang.—Per Quarta,

on Monday, the 20th inst., at 4.30 P.M. MAILS BY THE FLENCH PACKET. The French Contract Probat Iraqualdy will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 21st inst. with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, vit. Naules; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Caylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery, Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing

the Mails, &c. MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. The British Contract Packet Verona will be despatched on FRIDAY, the 24th April, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, via Brindisi: to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Coylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unrevistered Letters containing Jewellery, &c. and, where Registration has been neglected. 2nd Passage apply to the Agency of the Com- Bills of Lading for Batavia, Pensian will make no enquiries into alleged losses of HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT

MAILS. THE ENGLISH MAIL. The following hours are observed in closing

ing of all printed matter and patterns ceases. Cargo will be received on board until Ten 3.00 P.M.—Mails closed, except for Late Letters A.M. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until 3.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with late fee of 10 cents until Silk and Valuables for Europe will be tran- 3.30 p.m.—when the Post Office closes entirely the packet with late fee of 10 cents, until

> time of departure. THE FRENCH MAIL, Day before Departure. closes, except the night box, which is always open out of office hours.

Day of Departure. A.M., Pest Office opens. O A.M. Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. 11 A.M., Mail closes, except for Late Letters. 11.10 A.M., Letters may be posted with Late Fee

--of-10-cents until 11.30 A.M., when the Post Office closes entirely. 11.40 A.M., Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Late Fee of 10 Cents until time of departure.

LETTERS FOR THE UNITED STATES BY SAILING When it is desired to forward letters to the United States by a sailing ship which is not notified as carrying a mail, it is only necessary to post the lotters in the ordinary way, marked with the name of the ship, and prepaid 10 cents per half ounce as usual. 'The Post Office then undertakes the duty of obtaining notices of de-

parture and despatching the correspondence. It is requested that the letters be posted if possible RATES OF POSTAGE. Letters, per 1 oz. 10 Cents Post Cards, each Books, Patterns, and Commercial 2 Cents. Papers, per 2 oz. CHRISTINE, Ger. bk., J. Wildfang: Russell Newspapers & Prices Current, each 2 Cents If Cents

Do. with return receipt ... Commercial papers signify such papers as though written by hand, do not bear the charac-JAPAN, Brit. str., T. S. Gardner.—David ter of an actual or personal correspondence, such Sassoon. Sons & Co.

Las invoices, deeds, copied music, &c. The charge LADY HAREWOOD, Brit. bk., T. H. Williams - is the same as for Books, but all packets of and mider 4 oz. weight are charged 5 cents. Letters containing Stamps should be registered, and the Stamps should be secured from observation.

> SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' LETTERS. (1.) Privates in H. M. Army or Navy. Noncommissioned Officers. Bandmasters, Schoolmasters (not Superintending or First Class) Writers, or School-mistresses may send halfounce letters to the United Kingdom by the English Mail at the rate of two cents (one ponny) each, or by the French Mail at the rate of four cents (two pence) each. The postage may be prepaid either in Imperial or in Hongkong. Stamps, but not by both kinds on the same letter. . (2.) To other places not beyond Great Britain. such as India, Malta, &c., the postage is 2 cents

(3.) The same privileges apply to letters addressed to the Private and Non-commissioned Officers named above. (4.) The letters must not exceed half an ounce No handkerchiefs, jewellery, &c., can be sent even with the ends open. 5.—If from a Soldier or Sailer his class and description must be stated in full on the letter the cover of which must be signed by the Com manding Officer, with name of regiment, ship, &c. in full. If to a Soldier or Sailor, his class and de scription with name of regiment, ship, &c., must be stated in full.

(6). Soldiers and Sailors have no privileges with regard to books or papers, nor can these be prepaid with Imperial Stamps.

But not Warrant Officers, viz:-Conductor

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IN PORT ON 28TH MARCH, 1885

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456 H. M. Schults

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IN PORT ON 6TH APRIL, 1885.

533 Nils Moller

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Brit, sh | 993 Jardine, Matheson & Co.

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Brit. bk 1208 Paul Heinemann & Co

Amr. sh | 1633 | Takeshida Colliery | Brit. bk | 472 | Holme, Rioger & Co

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In Post on 4th April. 1845.

Jap. bk | 411 | M. B. Kwaishia

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210 H. A. Petersen & Co

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896 | Butterfield & Swire

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April 10 Sobrido

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Mar. 21 Fraser

Mar. II Henderson

April 5 R. Martin

April 10 C.A. Sawyer

Mar. 31 H. Krunse

April 13 Wm. Potts

Mar. 22 Moon-y

Mar. 28 G. Westoby

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Mar. 21 M. Ganna

Mar. 14 Finlayson

Nov. 15 Richter

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Birnham Wood April

Carca Ventura Feb.

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S. S. Ridgway Nov. 26 Townsend

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Anna Bertha

California

Hailcong

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Olympia

Galveston

Mory Austin

EXTRACT.

A LIFE-PSALM. By "THOK." When a fearloss, noble lifework Deeply stirs the inmost soul. And there springs a purer longing To attain some higher goal, Pause awhile; let not ambition Fill thee for great deeds alone. Better far resolve completion, Let each work be fully done. Hard the task, perhaps, or humble, Naught for outward eyes to see ; Not for thee Fame's golden touchstone, Let thy work yet thorough be. Scoffers stand by ev'ry toiler, Heed not then their mocking rail. Often action's voice convinces

Where the argument may fail. ies thy one grout aim be worthy.... Narrow is true glory's way: Follow humbly, soul illumin'd, Cast aside whatever stay. Clear a path, however feebly. Something show for life's short day: But oh! make thy watchword Action! Dream not precious years away.

HE SLOW DECREASE OF POPUL TION OF FRANCE. This subject continues to occupy the Rochard stated that, if the rate of increase of the population of France continued to to him; and an irate farmer, to whom the diminish in the same proportion as it had field belonged, appeared close to his side. done during the present century, there would | "What seeds ?" mildly asked the student of be no increase at all at the beginning of the twentieth, century. France does not compare favourably with other nations in respect within hearing. "Here's a vool!" "Dear of the rate of augmentation of the population. me," added the lawyer, "I thought it was In England the population grows at the rate grass." "A pretty fellow thee bist," said of 13 per 1,000 every year; in Germany the | the tarmer, "to come out nunting and no rate is 10 per 1,000, whilst the Americans know the difference twist seeds and grass! have increased tenfold since the beginning "Look bere, Mr. John Bull," replied, the of the century. At the present time France other, "do you know the difference between constitutes the tenth part of the population the Court of Queen's Beach and the Court of Europe, whilst two centuries ago it re- of Exchequer?" "No," replied the farmer, presented a third. If this numerical de- "nor don't want to neither." "Then, terioration continue, the French people will answered the astute attorney, "you are number at the beginning of the next century | pretty fool of a fellow for a farmer not to -only a fifteenth of the European population, know that." This was an argumentum ad and will fall into the position of the small hominem which shut up the tiller of the soil, States, and be no longer recognisable as one but when he got home he thought over the of the Powers. When the population of a repartee, and observed "Dang un, it's cos l else that the birth-rate is diminished. Now, blest if I don't give un a written notice warn. the death-rate in France is asserted to be ling un off my land altogether for his cheek." even lower than that of the majority of And so he did, by the next post, although must be due to decrease in the number of | was going, baving what he called "a deficiency births. In that country the number of in the topographical knowledge of country.' infants in proportion to adults is less than His great perplexity was whenever he go in any other European nation, excepting into one field how to get of it without a fail Ireland.—Lancet.

EATING AN AGED GOAT. It has been an opinion generally received in countries when the goat is regarded as an edible animal that age does not improve him as an article of diet. Such has been discovered to be the case by the gitizens of Clarkston, in Georgia. A grand outing had Commission Agent and Cargo Consigner been announced, and some five thousand people assembled in the woods in the outskirts of the town. After the usual speeches and orations, the assembly sat down to Far East and receive Sample Consignments dinner. The tables were ranged to hold a of Goods. bundred persons each. At the table specially reserved for distinguished guests the master of ceremonies drew their attention to a beautifully browned animal which formed £ To £ per day to be made by persons the dish at the head of the table. This he localities, at work for us. New business. told them was the famous billy-goat of Stone meet with wonderful success. Any one can do goat of full years, he made his appearance you. Outfit worth £1 mailed free. The em there, his carlier history being unknown. ployment is particularly adapted to the region For eight years he lived on the mountain girls earn nearly as much as men. Full particulars and him friendly among the lars and instructions mailed free. Now is the dored him popular character. Four years Address Stinson & Co., Portland, Maine, ago; being it was supposed weary of an United States. Alpine life, he came down to the town, and | became one of the recognised institutions of its streets. Two days before the feast would furnish a dish worthy of the occasion;

present.—Standard. MRS. BLIVINS'S ELEGANCE. in a way. I remember ber as the comely, but vulgar, daughter of a certain Peter Jones, who sat all day pegging shoes and waxing threads in a ten-by-ten shop on the bank of a canal, and who was only less ignorant than his termagant wife, who lived with her three children in the one room-back of the shop, and maintained discipline in her kingdom by a vigorous use of the clothesstick and shrill scolding. Nancy's bloom and pertness captivated John Blivius, who worked in the butcher's shop not far away, and they were married. Shrewd, and with the money-getting instinct, from selling chops. John became a pork-packer, and now that twenty years have passed, he is a millionnaire: Mrs. Blivins has all vulgarity without the generosity of her Magistrates, and Members of Parliament. parents, and upon this foundation she has tried to veneer the social graces. Her house, an amazing conglomerate of all sorts of First Horse £3,000 4 Prizes of £500-£2,000 architecture, is adorned in a bizarre rainbow Second Herse 1,000 8 Prizesof 250 2,000 of mathetic tints. Her toilets are in the Starters divide 1,000 20 Prizesof 200 2,000 Starters divide 1,000 20 Prizesof 100 2,000 most pronounced mode. She has been to Non-Starters Europe, and tries to order her household in the English style, and she is a real power in The remaining £5,000 will be employed by society, deny it who may. Old Peter and the Club in making up a Book on the Cup and his wife died long ago; and as she is now a other races, that is, laying and taking the odds thousand miles from the little shop by the for and against certain horses, by an entirely canal, Mrs. Blivins descants among her intimates on the comfort and elegance of proved last year, when the profits resulting therefrom realised over £12,000. The whole of the winnings, including principal and profits tended his own sausage machine, and she to be equally divided amongst those subscribers did her own housework, she was healthy as who will be unsuccessful in drawing either Habe herself; but as the pork-packing pros- a horse or prize in the Great Sweep. Every pered she assumed more and more ignorance subscriber to receive a prize, be it large or of domestic labour, till now she declares herself quite at the mercy of the servants, and, having no aptitude for any work save the kind she has discavded, and grown stout and flabby for lack of exercise, beyond her restless round of shopping, visiting, receiving restless round of shopping, visiting, receiving posted to all Ticket Holders immediately after. and trying to be English, she is making the Money received too late will be returned. Ten fortune of Dr. Twicket, who with pro- per Cent commission deducted from the prizes. fessionaal gravity compounds bread pills to In remitting money for tickets, send Bank brace up her system.

Drafts, Post Office Orders, Notes, or Gold, latter brace up her system.

like a Parisian and German like a Berliner. and play the piano, and sing-in short, a THINA OVERLAND TRADEREPORT. perfect treasure of a governess. At last a young lady was found who seemed everything desirable. "Miss White," said Mrs. Blivins, when

other terms had been settled, "I haveaben-ben a talkin -- with some other ladies of the first families, and were decided to inte doose the habits of the English aristocracy into Nobbville. I know you are a worthy and accomplished young personbut can't have a governess cat at the family table-you know." It is perhaps needless to add "the treasure " left, and a governors had to be imported straight from England before the education of the little Blivinges could be continued .- Chicago Current, ...

A DISCOURAGED JOURNALIST. Last night I was assigned to report a fire grand style, made a half-column article of CHRONICLE & DIRECTORY it: I becam it in this man a little of CHRONICLE & DIRECTORY it : I began it in this way : "Buddenly, on the still night air rang the shrill ory of fire, and at the same moment the little licking tongue of flame, whose light play along the rock's edge had caught the eye of the midnight watcher, leaped forth, no longer playful, but flerce and angry in its thirst and greed. Like glowing, snaky demons, the lurid links entwined the doomed building ; in venomous hisses and spurts the flame shot into the overlanging darkness; while from every window and door poured forth a dense sulphurous smoke, the deadly, sufficenting breath of an imprisoned flend. "I went on in that style for over half a column," said the reporter, "and this is what showed up in the paper this morning "Pat Sheeny's grocery was destroyed by fire last night. Loss, \$250; uninsured." Drake's Traveller's Magazine.

THE FARMER AND THE LAWYER Talking about riding over the farmers' crops and not knowing what damage ensues, there was an attorney from a large town in Gloucestershire, out with the Cotswolds, and, in blissful ignorance of agriculture, and in the happy consciousness that every field was alike available for him to ride over, was quietly trotting over some seeds, as the tention of the Académie de Mécecine. M. hounds were going from covert to covert. "Come off them seeds," roared a voice close country begins to decrease, we must suppose | don't understand their Courts of Law as I either that there is an excessive mortality or keeps out of 'em all as I can, and so I'm European countries or States; consequently lit is but truth to remark that the lawyer took being alphabetical. the comparative depopulation of France no notice of it, for he never knew where he and if the hounds ran a ring he thought the MAR OF THE FAR EAST. line was straight as the crow flies.—Illustra- New MAP OF THE ISLAND OF HONGKONG. ted Sporting and Dramatic News.

FOR IMPORT AND EXPORT.

HAIPHONG. Will undertake Commissions for Firms in the Communications in English and French.

Mountain. Twelve years ago, being then a the work. Capital not required. We will start crags, and his friendliness with visitors, ren- time-don't delay, but write to us at once.

NERVOUS DEBILITY.

Headache, Wakefulness, Mental Depression, Chronicle and Directory. and, after its history had been related, most Premature Old Age, caused by Excesses, Over- The Contents of the Appendix are too man Exertion of the Brain, or Quer-Indulgence to enumerate in an Advertisement, but include of the guests at the table made a point of the guests at the table made a point of the guests at the table made a point of the guests at the table made a point of the guests at the table made a point of the guests at the table made a point of the guests at the table made a point of the guests at the table made a point of the guests at the table made a point of the guests at the table made a point of the guests at the table made a point of the guests at the table made a point of the guests at the table made a point of the guests at the table made a point of the guests at the table made a point of the guests at the table made a point of the guests at the table made a point of the guests at the guests at the table made a point of the guests at the table made a point of the guests at the guests at the guests at the guest at the g an hour all who did so were taken violently from the Prescription of an Eminent ill, and some fifty or sixty had a narrow Physician, and has been tested and used escape from death, in spite of the attentions with great success for years; therefore of a number of medical men who were the Proprietors have no hesitation whatever in issuing a Written Guarantee of Cure or Money Refunded to Every Purchaser of Six Boxes Each Box contains One Month's Treatment \$1.25 s Box, or 6 Boxes (with Guarantee) for Yes; I had known Mrs. Blivins for years, \$7.00. Sent Post Free on receipt of P.O.O. by W. CRUIKSHANK, Chemist, SOLE AGENT, Hongkong.

> WEST'S VEGETABLE LIVER PILLS. £20,000. TWENTY THOU- TREATIES WITH ANNAM SAND POUNDS TREATIES WITH CAMBODIA TO BE DISTRIBUTED ON THE GREAT MELBOURNE CUP - RACE OF 1885.

150 Horses entered! Run about 3rd Nov. I ALL PRIZES! NO BLANKS! Tenth Annual Sweep of the popular AUSTRALIAN TURF CLUB."

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COMMERCIAL JOURNAL for CHINA, JAPAN, Published at the Office of the Hongkong Daily Tonquin Mr. Ch. Dapont. Presa on the Morning of the Departure of the English Mail.

contains the LATEST AND FULLEST TRADE INTELLIGENCE, REPORTS OF MEETINGS OF COMPANIES. E LATEST TELEGRAMS. LONDON togother with the POLITICAL AND GENERAL NEWS of the Fortnight. The "Trade Report" has a large orgulation

the Philippines Straits Settlements, &c., &c.,

With which is incorporated THE CHINA DIRECTORY. (TWENTY-THIRD ANNUAL ISSUE). ROYAL OGTAVO, pp. 1,104......\$5.00. SMALLER EDITION, pp. 716......\$3.00.

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